

# WAYNE'S WORLD!

## LET THE GAMES BEGIN!

BY KEHL BRADBURY

The fall sports consist of baseball, cross country, football, rodeo, and volleyball.

The football team is just coming back to its second year at Wayne High School. Improvements this year include new lights and a new scoreboard out on the field.

The cross country team has attended three meets this year which include a meet at home in Wayne where the girls' team ended up keeping the win at home. They have done well so far this year.

The baseball team, as always, has a strong team and enjoy their reputation. They have the state title in their sights as they work hard and are mindful of their strong tradition at Wayne.

The Wayne County rodeo team consists of Zane Taylor, Kelton Cropper, Carson Grundy, and Gentry Taylor. Zane and Kelton team rope together with Zane as header and Kelton as heeler the two of them also calf rope. Kelton has started to steer wrestle and is currently 2nd in the state for calf roping. Carson Grundy is participating in the trap shooting

category of the rodeo. He is doing quite well and is currently 9th in the state. Zane Taylor is 13th in calf roping. Gentry Taylor is a freshman and competes in barrel racing. All are representing Wayne in a great way. The most current rodeo took place in Cedar and all did well.

The volleyball team is also doing well this fall. The team consists of 22 of our Wayne High lady badgers! They have defeated Tabiona, Bryce Valley, Escalante, and have done... cont. on pg 2...



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Brock Brinkerhoff, Jaden Ellett, Brendan Robins, Nathan Dendy, Zach Davis, and Porter VanOrden

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exceptionally well with Valley, Milford, and Piute. The team has also traveled to Dixie and did an exceptionally good job by defeating Beaver! The JV team traveled to San Juan on September 4 & 5 and came away with a consolation win bringing home a trophy! We are super proud of these girls and the commitment and dedication they have this year!

GO LADY BADGERS!

On Friday, the baseball boys competed against Panguitch for their last home game of the season. Volleyball also had their senior night and won their game against Bryce Valley.

# There's no Place Like Homecoming

BY TESSA SIMMONS

Homecoming has become such a delightful time for the past couple of years. Between the cheerleaders shouting, "G.O GO, GO BADGERS GO! " At the football games, to seeing the new and exciting ways that the men have asked the women to the dance. This year, the homecoming theme was "Wizard of Oz." What a lovely theme. We all enjoyed watching the senior boys, such as Nathan Dendy and Jaden Ellett, strut in Dorothy heels and rock pigtails.

Homecoming week has become a fashion show, certain days we wore green, red, and animal print. We also had wacky outfit day and a twin day. A few brave hearts performed a lip sync battle for the entire school. Friday, we had a football, baseball, and volleyball game. Brendon Robins and Kaitlyn McCoy are our King and Queen. This was a homecoming to never forget.



From left to right: Kayla Reynolds, Zach Davis, Tegan New, Nathan Dendy, Kaitlyn McCoy, Brendon Robins



## Check it Out!

BY BAYLEEPAGE

With the convenience of iPads, we all now have the ability to access an online library. But don't let this stop you from enjoying a real book straight from our WHS library! In our library, each student can check out a book from hundreds of titles, genres, and any author they might like.

Our school recently purchased the Overdrive app, a Cues-approved online resource. In order to access Overdrive, you need to make an account on the app that Mrs. Peterson has pushed to our iPads. After your account is created, you add the Cues online library. Once that is finished, you can borrow, return, and search for many books, levels, and types of literature. From history to fantasy, there is something for everyone.

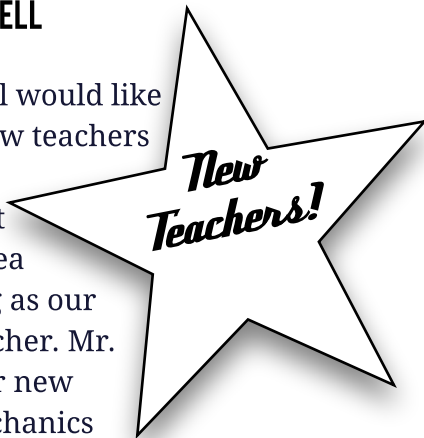
In the popular section, there are books ranging from romance such as The Fault in Our Stars, to adventure and suspense like the Hunger Games and many others. If you are into western, there are plenty by Louis L'Amour to choose from. Mrs. Chappell has also taken the opportunity to reorganize some of the books. If you want to check it out, visit the WHS library. If you are the type of person who has a difficult time enjoying books, talk to our librarian, Mrs. Chappell. She can recommend books based on your interests and even suggest other books by well-known authors. More popular titles are usually set out on the counter as you first enter the library. As for recommendations, The Fault in Our Stars and Divergent are very appealing fictional titles that are great for teen readers.

If anybody has any trouble logging into Overdrive, please contact Baylee Pace or Mrs. Peterson.

# INTRODUCING...

BY MCKENNA MITCHELL

Wayne High School would like to welcome two new teachers this year: Andrea Peterson and Trent Larsen. Mrs. Andrea Peterson is serving as our new computer teacher. Mr. Trent Larsen is our new shop and auto-mechanics teacher. As the newspaper staff and members of the creative writing class, we posed the following questions so we might get to know them a little better:



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### What inspired you to become a teacher?

Larsen: My dad was a teacher. I chose to teach shop because of the vocational classes I had in high school and college.

Peterson: I love to learn.

### Why did you choose to teach at Wayne High?

Larsen: I like working in small schools and communities, I was also impressed by the faculty here.

Peterson: So I can be at the same school as my daughter.

### What has intimidated you most during your first weeks of class?

Larsen: Learning everyone's name.

Peterson: Not having a textbook.

### What is your most secret fear that you would never divulge to a group of students?

Larsen: I am afraid of heights.

Peterson: Who needs fear when you choose to have faith?

### If you could coerce Lynda Brown and staff to serve your favorite lunch, what would it be?

Larsen: Penne Alfredo with chicken or shrimp.

Peterson: Can chocolate count as lunch?

### Take us back in time to the music of your generation. What would you have been listening to as a high school student? Why did you like that particular group/band/music?

Larsen: Led Zeppelin and Pink Floyd were my top two in high school. I believe these two groups pioneered rock and roll.

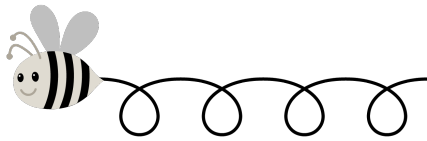
Peterson: U2 and The Beatles.

### What made your first kiss memorable?

Larsen: The sound of the shotgun lever behind me.

Peterson: I think I'm too old to remember that.

Thank you, new teachers, for your participation and explaining fun things about yourselves!



# It's Cool 2 B Kind!

BY ASHTYNN STRINGHAM

2014-2015 WHS ANTI-BULLYING COALITION AMBASSADOR

Kindness matters at Wayne High! Mrs. Nichol Stringham and the WHS Anti-Bullying Coalition, Gaelynn Peterson and Larene Reynold, and Sharon Lopez (prevention specialist with Central Utah Counseling Center) to spread the word about kindness, not being a bully, and just having good character. WHS

Ambassadors this year are: Ashtynn Stringham, Tegan New. Ethan Lee, and Tyler Chappell. The Ambassadors are looking for help in spreading kindness around the district. They have many fun activities and assemblies planned for the school year for the high school, middle school, and elementary school.

The high school had an opening luau where students were able to dance, have treats, and hang out with their peers. Throughout the month of September, the Ambassadors have been encouraging students at the high school to add links to the "Kindness Chain." Home room teachers gave links of colored paper to all students, then students were asked to write down acts of kindness performed by others, then turn the links in to Mrs. Stringham, Bubblegum was the prize for turning in links, and a grand prize winner of the best act of kindness from the "Kindness Chain" will be announced on the last day of September!

On September 10th, International Suicide Awareness Day, the entire high school participated in #chalkoutthebadstuff. Each homeroom was designated a section of school sidewalk to cover with inspiration; #messages to encourage kindness and good thoughts. Gaelynn Peterson and Larene Reynolds were judges for the competition, and the three best,

most creative, and most inspirational designs were rewarded with a doughnut party! The Ambassadors have information posted in the hallway about Wrinkled Walter and how saying unkind things makes wrinkles in a person's character. No one wants wrinkles! There is a trophy case at the high school set up by the Ambassadors that highlights the activities sponsored by the Ambassadors. Have you seen anyone do something kind, something good, or something to help someone else? If you have (and you are age 14-18, enrolled in one of the schools in Wayne School District), go to [www.stand4kind.com](http://www.stand4kind.com), register with the school you attend, and nominate that person! Everytime you nominate someone for performing an Act of Kindness, your name and the name of your nominee are entered in a drawing sponsored by the Stand4Kind group. There are fabulous prizes available.

[www.stand4kind.com](http://www.stand4kind.com)

## Calendar

**Oct. 2nd: NOSCHOOL**

**Oct. 6th: B-BALL QTR. FINALS @ SPANISH FORK**

**Oct. 9th: B-BALL SEMIFINALS @ UVU**

**Oct. 10: B-BALL FINALS @ UVU**

**Oct. 13th: REGION XC @ VALLEY**

**Oct. 19th-20th: FALL VACATION**

**Oct. 21st: STATE XC @ SUGARHOUSE PARK**

**Oct. 23rd: V-BALL REGION @ BV**

**Oct. 26th-30th: FCCL DRUG WEEK**

**Oct. 28th: END OF FIRST QUARTER**

**Oct. 30th: FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS**

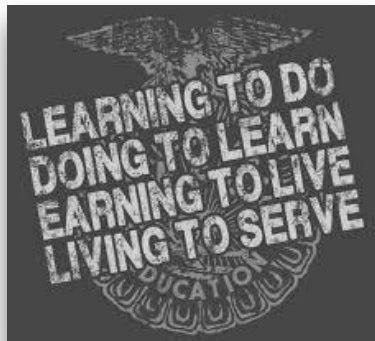
**Oct. 30th-31st: V-BALL STATE @ UVU**

# Let's Go Clubbin'!

comes from a cow, not the store.

## Hay; it's FFA!

BY JADEN HARKER



From the time I walked into Wayne High as a freshmen, I have been a member of the Future Farmers of America. As a senior, I am still a member and currently I am a reporter for the local FFA chapter. FFA isn't just about farming; we can earn grants, scholarships, meet new friends (girls), learn leadership skills, and have lots of fun. Over the summer, we members do a Supervised Agriculture Expirament (SAE). That project helps earn school credit.

My SAE Project has been rasing my own sheep herd. My freshmen year, I applied for a Five Bred Ewes Grant, and won. That is one of the grants available to freshmen or sophomores in FFA.

The FFA club goes on a lot of fun trips; one is traveling to the state

fair in Salt Lake. We are going to National Convention in Louisville, Kentucky, this year on October 27-30. Some of the other activities are Opening

Social (held in September), The Green Hand Breakfast is coming soon where the new members get a nice a surprise by having to stick their hands in a bucket of green liquid. Harvest Ball is November 9-14. It is a fun week-long event. Where the contestants back up a stock trailer, chase pigs, have sack races, shoot clay pigeons, and saddle a horse. The contestants have to show thier baking skills by making and decorating a cake. The winner is crowned at the Harvest Ball. Winter Social is going to be in February. State Convention is March 10-12. The FFA Member Banquet in in April.

When I first went to the state fair, I helped in a booth Little Hands on the Farm. We taught children where their food comes from. Many didn't know that milk

We have several judging groups that go to Ephraim for competition. The groups range management, horses, dairy cows, mechanics, and livestock. It's a fun way to meet new people from other FFA chapters throughout the state.

I am sure you have seen the FFA members in their jackets. We wear them for official occasions. The jacket has our name, the name of the state location, our chapter name, and a small official FFA emblem on it. It should be kept clean and neat at all times. Only members get to wear FFA jackets.

FFA is a fun place for all students. There are many different things to keep students interested and active. So if you haven't joined FFA yet, you should. If you have any questions about FFA feel free to ask. Mrs. Grundy is our advisor, who supports us in every aspect of our high school career; she goes above and beyond to help us achieve our goals. I'd like to personally thank her for her role in my success in high school. Thanks Jessica, you rock!



Back row: Kaitlyn Fallner, Tessara Kezos, Mrs. Taft, Breenna Brown. Front row: Larissa Wells, Mary Sorenson

## It's fun to be in F-C-C-L-A!

BY TESSA SIMMONS

Family Career and Community Leaders of America is a fantastic club. Make sure your stay at Wayne High enjoyable by joning clubs such as FCCLA. FCCLA provides opportunities to become more associated with the community, thus encouraging community service, as well as other services. Joining FCCLA will allow you to learn social and communication skills.

Who does not want to join a club that allows you to meet good people and eat good food? We choose to cherish the volunteer work that we provide. We welcome all to be apart of a group of lovely human beings who enjoy making others, and themselves feel emotionally well. We have group meetings every other week to discuss our work.

The work of FCCLA includes: Christmas Tea, STAR Events, Easter Extravaganza, and much more. We worship the art of friendship, leadership, and sportsmanship. Breenna Brown is a State Officer. The president is Tessara Kezos. Alyssa Hakala is the Vice President. Other officers include: Larissa Wells, Jessi Alvey, and Tessa Simmons. Mrs. Joni Taft is our advisor.

# hosa

future  
health  
professionals

BY JESSI ALVEY

Mrs. Debora James is our Wayne High School HOSA advisor. HOSA stands for Health Occupations Students of America and is a very fun club to get involved in. It's not just great for preparing for a career in the medical field but it is also great for leadership skills and other good qualities to take with you in your life. There are events state and nation wide, including leadership conferences and competitions. One of the biggest events Wayne High School HOSA does is the Red Cross blood drive. In the past, the club organized a trip to a mortuary, where they learned more about the body and how it works. If you get involved in HOSA, we can plan and organize many trips and activities.

Their mission statement encourages leadership and technical HOSA skill competencies through a program of motivation, awareness and recognition, which is an integral part of the Health Science Education instructional program. The mission of HOSA is to enhance the delivery of compassionate, quality health-care by providing opportunities for knowledge, skill and leadership development of all health science education students, therefore, helping the student meet the needs of the health-care community. Sign up for HOSA in the office and pay your fees! It will be a lot of fun and a really great learning experience.



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## You've Finally Reached the End!

Dear Reader,

Congratulations! You did it!

As the new editor of the newspaper, my goal is to have people actually read the newspaper. My goal is to get the readers (that's you!) to want to keep these issues and show them to your children someday. (or maybe not) I want this newspaper to serve as a time capsule for all the memories you have made and will make in high school. It's simple, I will try my best to make the newspaper awesome and read-worthy and you just need to make sure they don't end up in the trash.

Your editor,  
Tessara Kezos